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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of: **Takashi SAIKI et al.**

Group Art Unit: **2818**

Application Number: **10/800,749**

Examiner: **Quoc Dinh Hoang**

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For: **SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD OF FABRICATING  
THE SAME**

Attorney Docket Number: **042193**

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

August 2, 2006

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated April 5, 2006 for one month from July 5, 2006 to August 5, 2006.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$120.00 for the cost of the extension. If any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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